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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Atty. Docket: YAYON=4

In re Application of:) Art Unit:
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Avner YAYON et al)
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) Washington, D.C.
IA Filed: November 8, 1999)
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U.S. Appln. No.: 09/831,305)
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Deposited: May 8, 2001) July 18, 2001
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For: PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS)
COMPRISING PORPHYRINS AND)
SOME NOVEL PROPHYRIN)
DERIVATIVES ✓)

SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please delete claims 1-57 and add new claims 58-89 ✓ ✓

as follows.

--58. A pharmaceutical composition for inhibiting

~~B1~~ growth factor receptor tyrosine kinase activity comprising a tetrapyrrolic macrocycle selected from the group consisting of 5,10,15,20-tetraaryl-porphyrin and 5,10,15-triaryl-corrole,

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